



# **California and the World Ocean '02**

## **Energy Supply Panel**

### **The Big Picture - By the Numbers - And Issues for the Coast**

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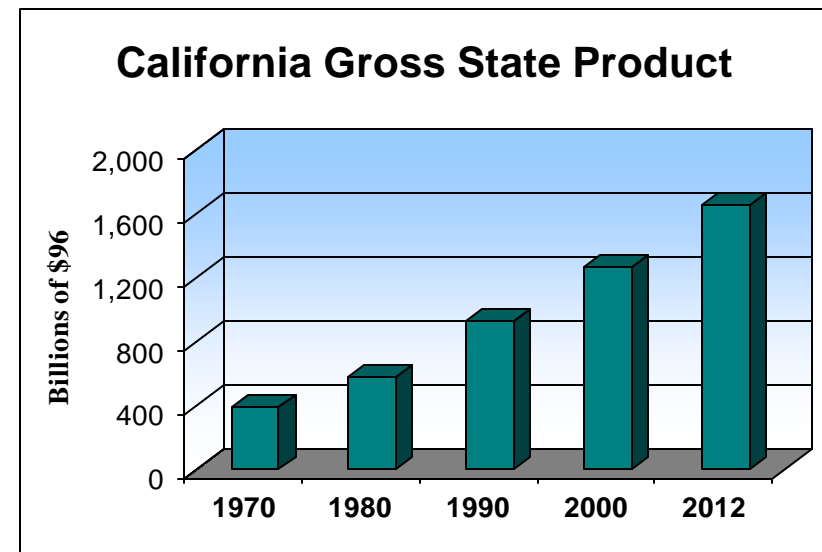
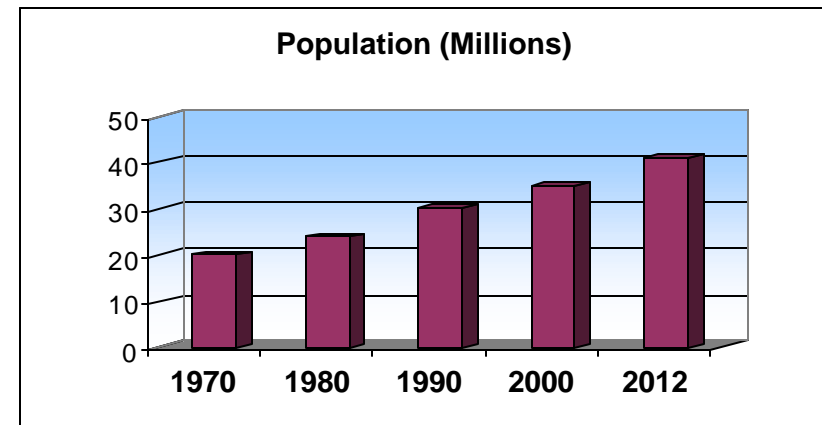
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# The Basics

- Population is Growing at a rate of 1.7 % per year
- California's Economy is Growing at a rate of 3.5 % per year
- Consequently End User Demand for all Energy Sources is Increasing

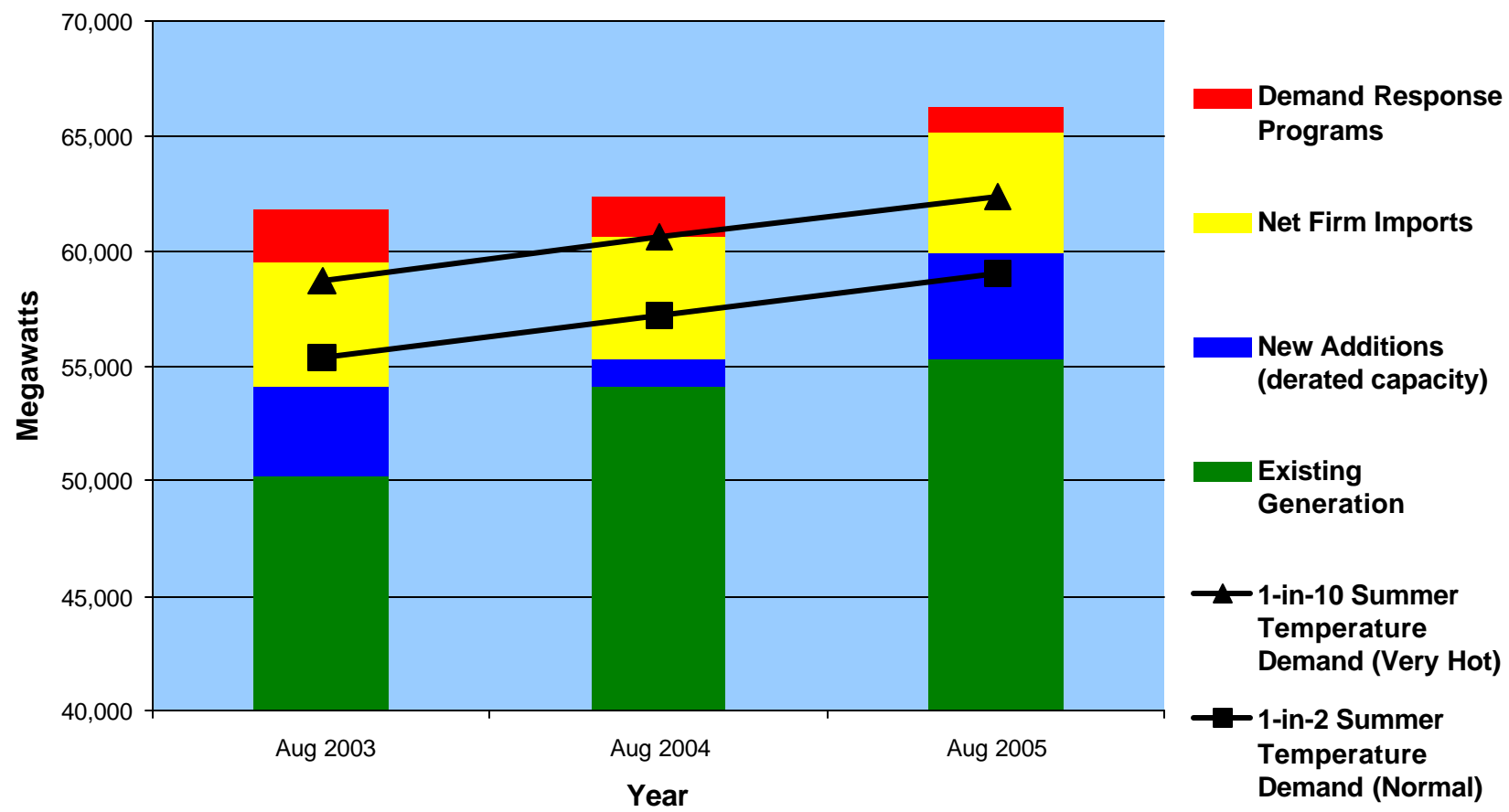


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# California Statewide Electricity Supply / Demand Balance

## 1-in-2 & 1-in-10 Summer Peak Demand Forecast

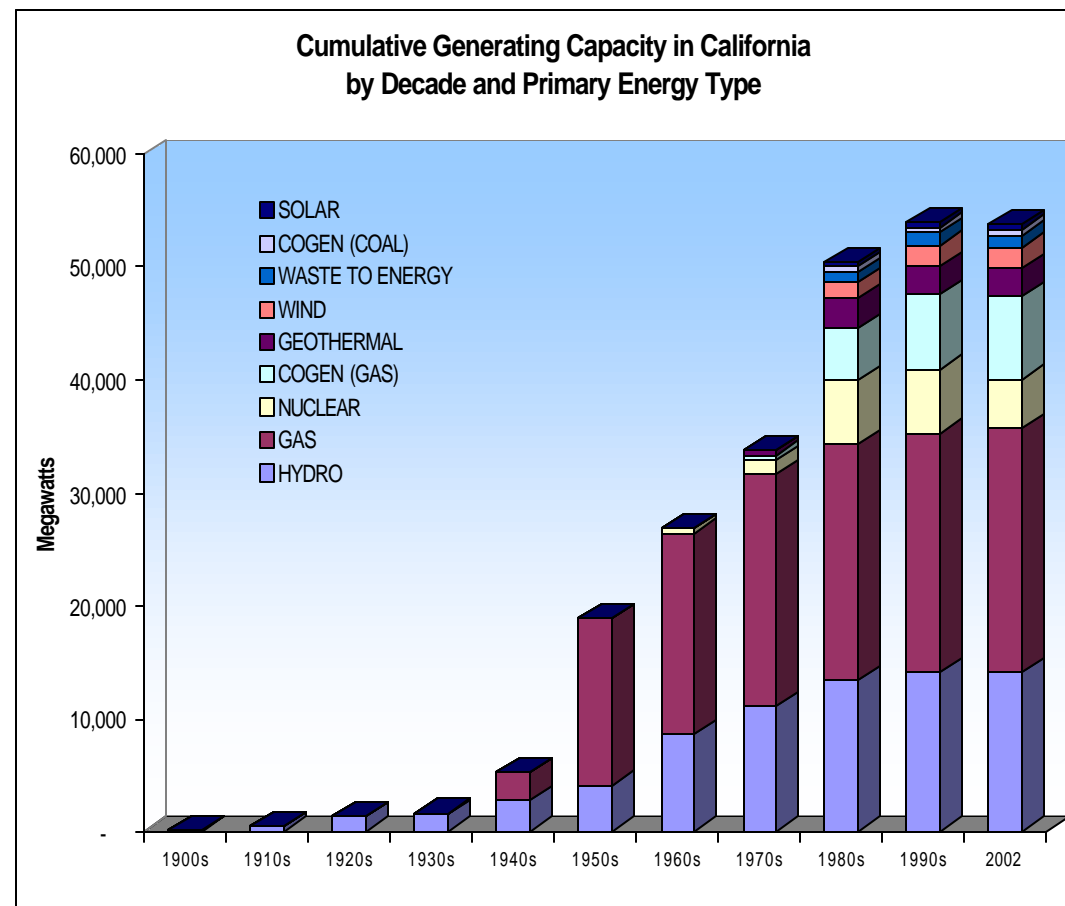


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# Electricity

- 1,200 Generators Producing 54,000 MWs.
- Natural Gas Provides the Fuel for Most Generation Capacity.



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# Let's Look at the Coast

- Twenty-Five Generation Stations along the Coast.
- Coastal Power plants Comprise 41% of California's Capacity (22,000 MWs).



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## Existing Coastal Power Plants

- Constructed in the 1940s and 1950s.
- 33 to 38 Percent Energy Efficient.
- Once-through Cooling from Ocean or Estuaries.
- Requires Retrofit Air Emission Controls.



# Future Coastal Power Plants

- Refurbish, Replace, Repower, and/or Expand.
  - Natural Gas-Fired Combined Cycle Technologies that will Raise Efficiency Rates to nearly 53%.
  - Once-Through Cooling.
  - Increase Generating Capacity by as much as 73%.
  - Operate More Hours per year.
  - New Plants at 2.5 ppm NO<sub>x</sub> Compared to Old Plants Over 100 ppm.
- CEC has Approved 2,040 MWs, is Currently Reviewing an Additional 2,400 MWs; Expects Another 3,000 MWs in the Next 3 years.



# General Issues for Existing Coastal Power Plants

- Capacity and Hours of Modernized Projects will increase, Consequences may include:
  - Impacts on Aquatic Biological Resources
  - Insufficient Air Pollution Emission Reductions
- Local citizens may oppose modernization projects.
- Communities have grown up around existing power plants and plants may not be compatible with coastal land uses.





# Natural Gas

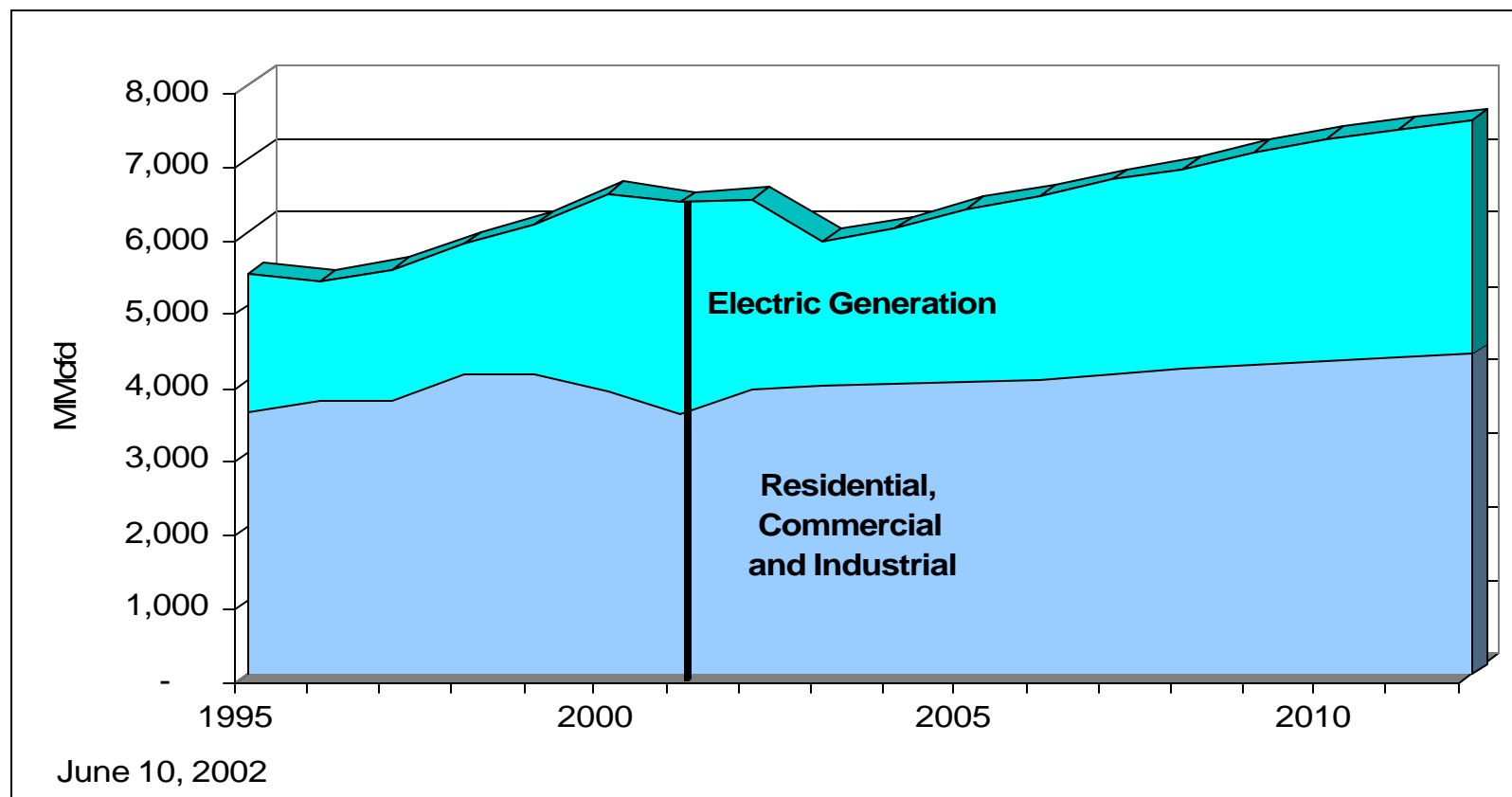
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# Historical and Forecasted Natural Gas Demand

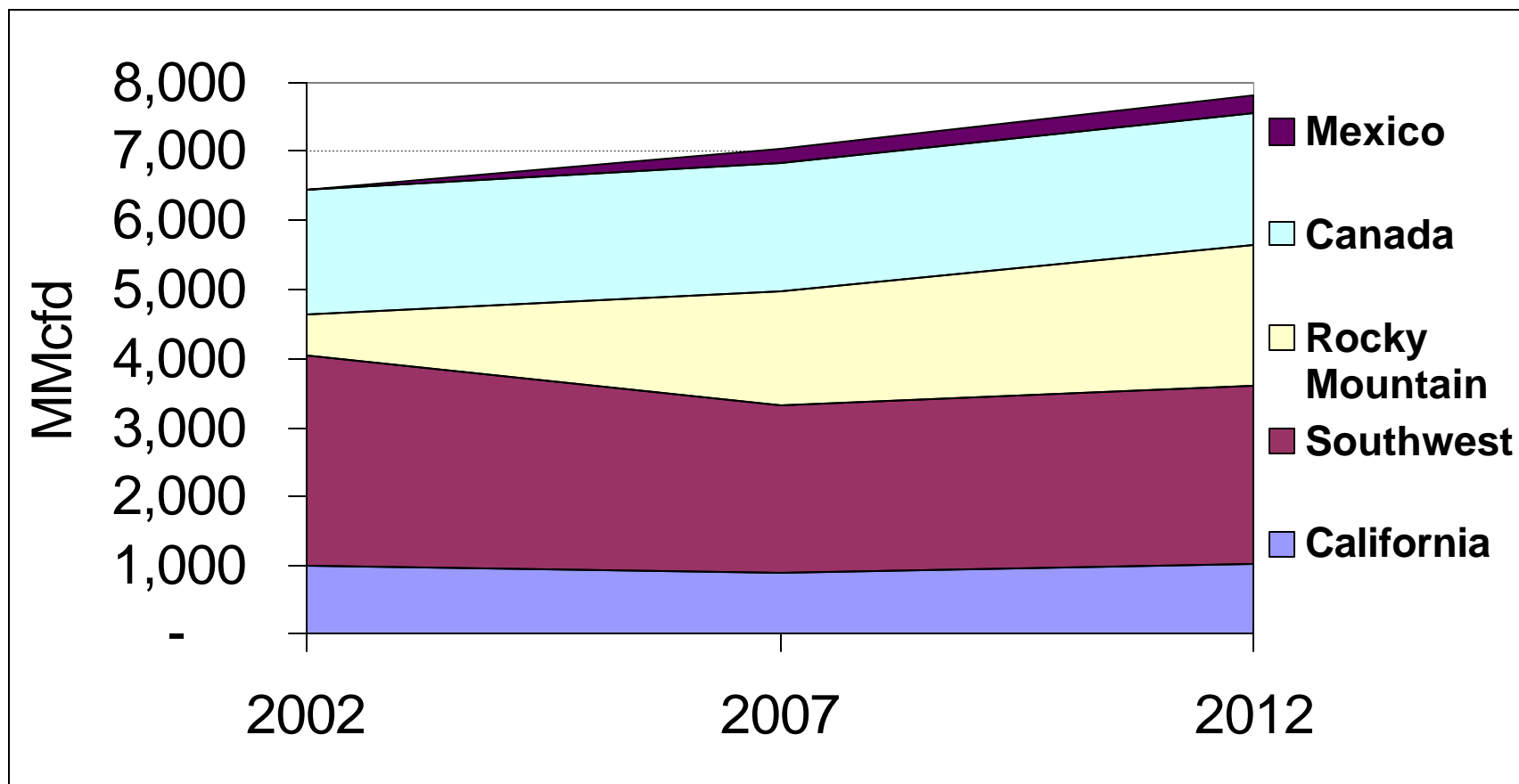


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## Forecasted California Natural Gas Supply by Source



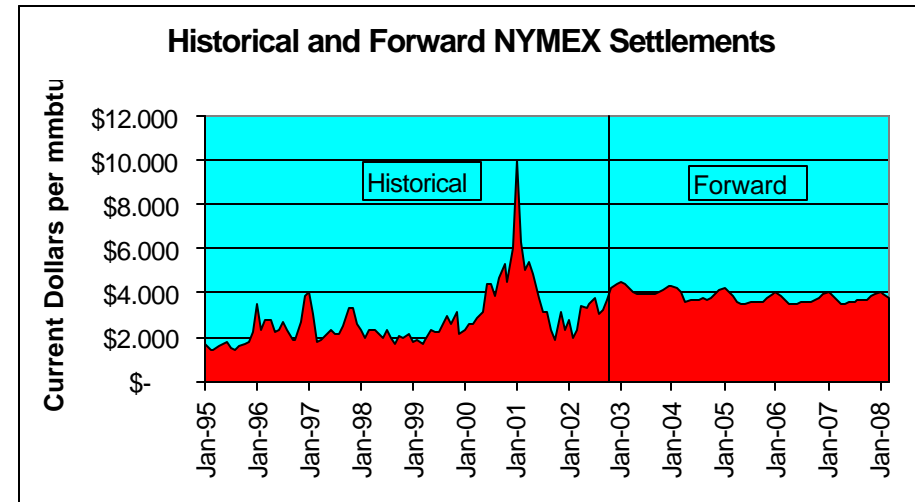
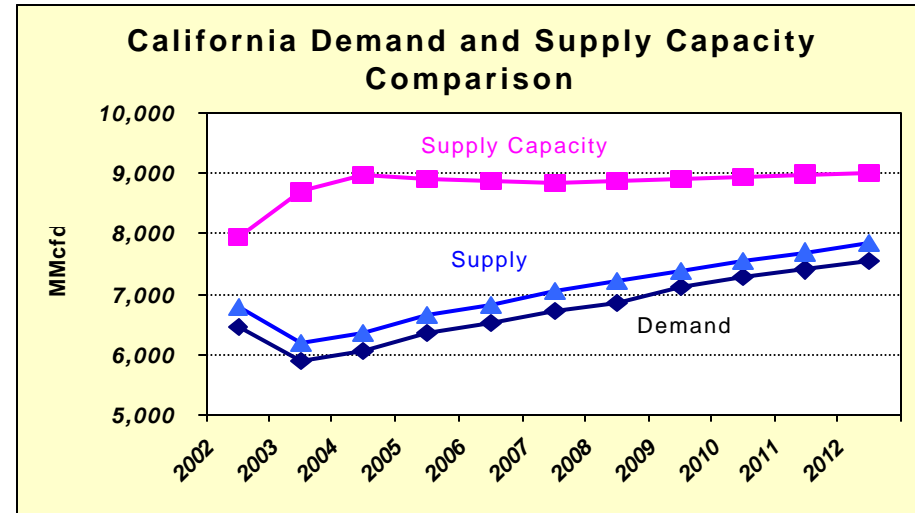
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# Issue: Natural Gas Supply & Demand

- California Natural Gas Demand will likely be met with Existing and Planned Pipeline Projects
- Supply and Demand curves are very close.
- New sources of Natural Gas are desirable.



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# New Sources of Natural Gas

- Natural Gas Pipelines
- Liquefied Natural Gas



## Completed and Proposed Natural Gas Infrastructure Projects Since 2000

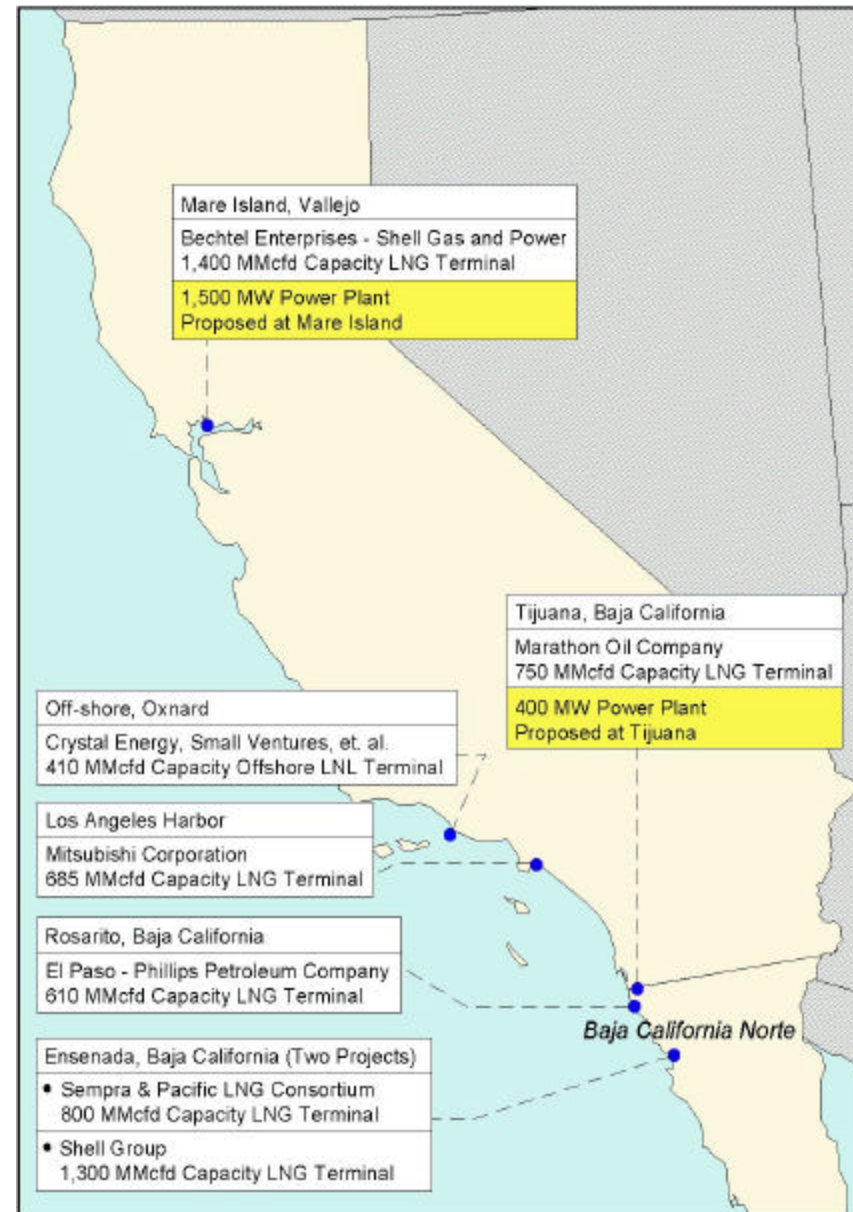
Interstate Pipelines to California (MMcfd)			
	Number of Projects	Added Capacity to Calif	Total Capacity Added
Completed	8	787	1,569
Proposed	6	1,736	3,332

California Instate Projects (MMcfd)		
	Number of Projects	Total Capacity Added
Pipelines		
Completed	6	624
Proposed	2	TBD
Storage		
Completed	3	690
Proposed	2	TBD



# LNG Proposals

- Rising Gas Prices
- Terminals are proposed in California and Baja California, Mexico
- Power plants proposed at some LNG Terminal Sites





# Major Issues for LNG Terminal Development

- Multi-level government permitting
- Public Opposition
- Dredging Impacts
- Coastal Zone Management Plans



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# Petroleum Products

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## Transportation Fuels: Crude Oil and Refined Products

- California is heavily dependent on Marine Transportation for its Transportation Fuels

**California's Sources  
of Crude Oil and  
Refined Products**





## **Even Though Californians are Thrifty in Their Use of Energy and California Ranks Near the Top in the Production of Crude Oil**



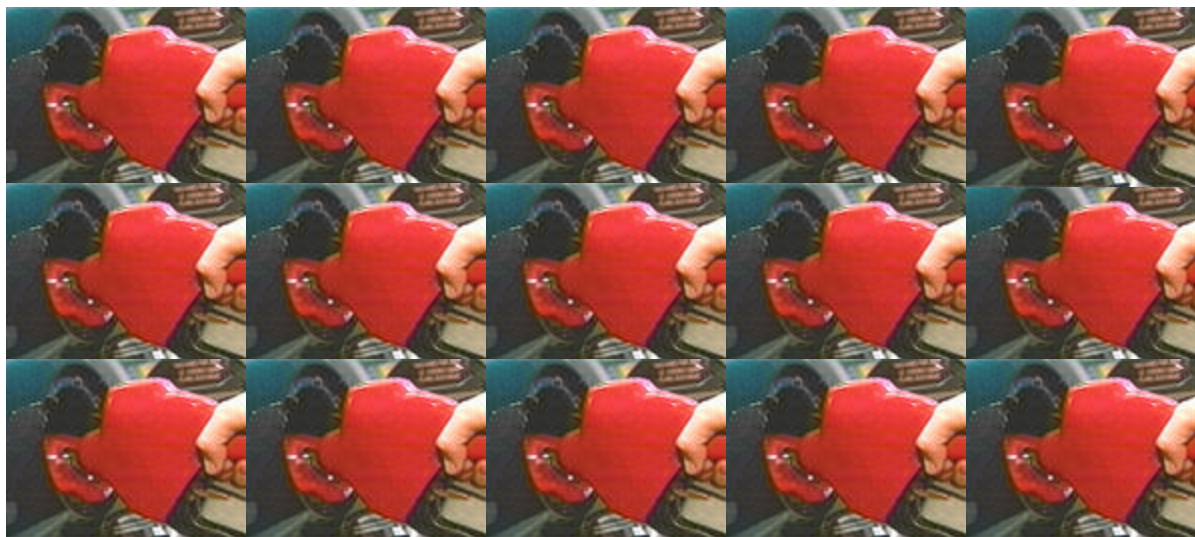
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## It still Consumes more Crude Oil and Petroleum Products Than it Produces



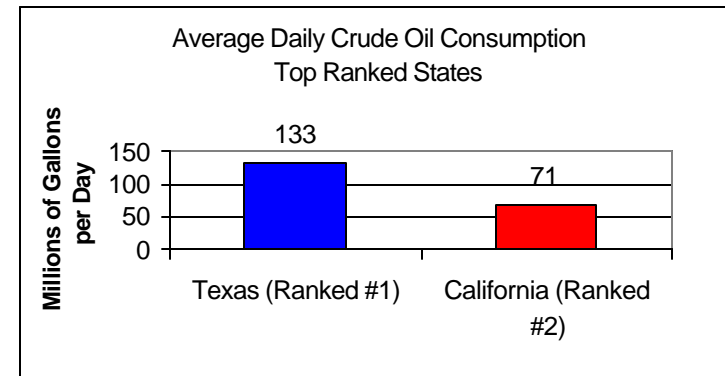
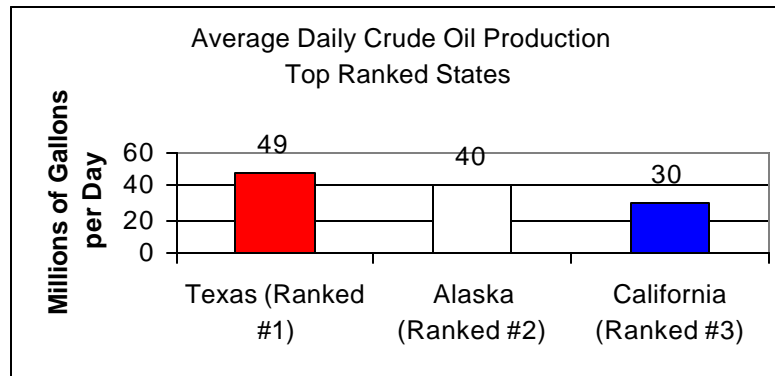
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## California Ranks Near the Top in both Production and Consumption of Crude Oil

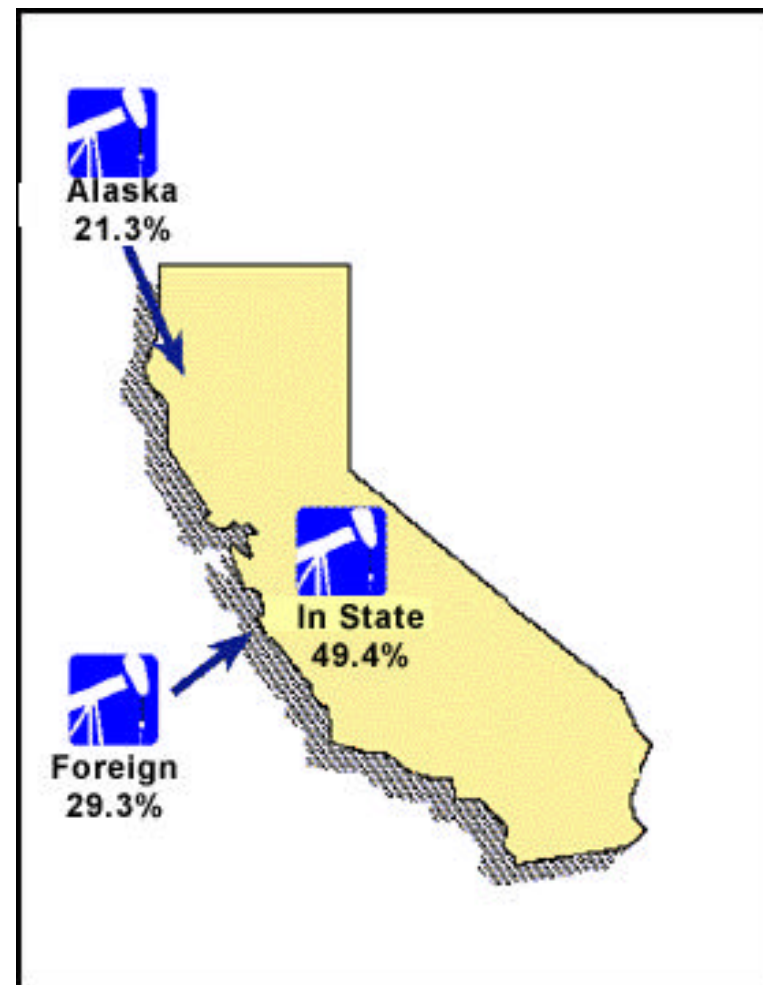


- California:
  - is the third largest oil-producing state
  - is the second largest petroleum consuming state



## Sources of Crude Oil Supply

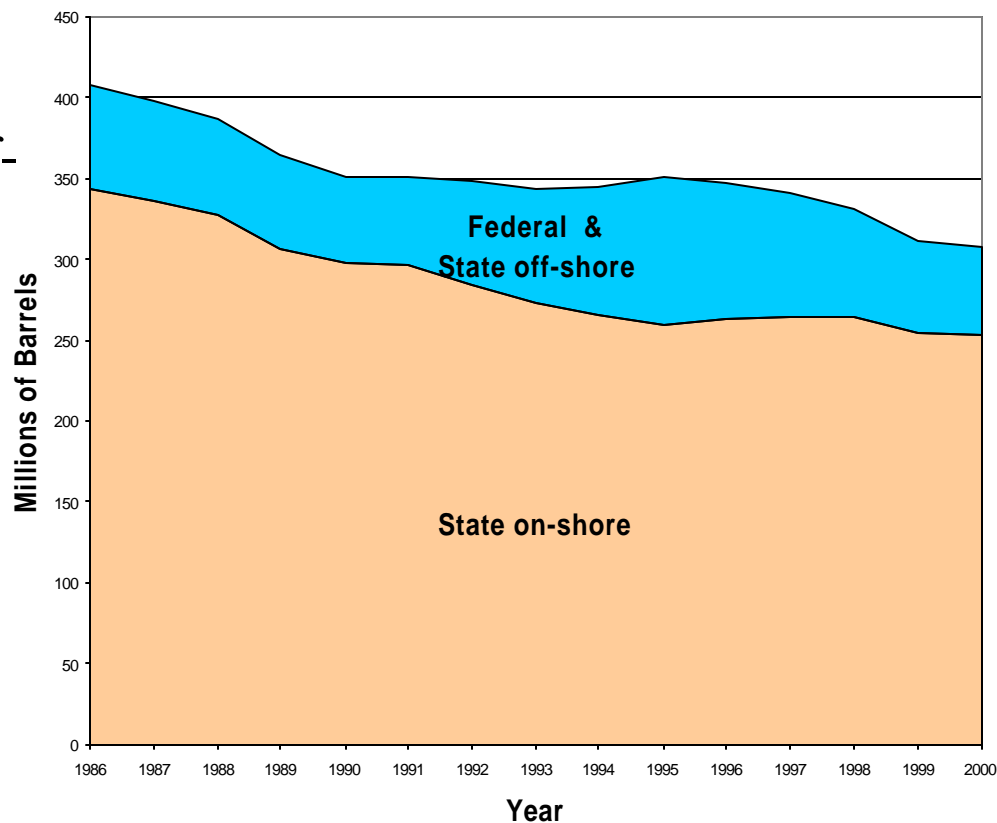
- 50% of Crude Oil Comes by Tanker
  - 21.3 % from Alaska
  - 29.3% from Foreign Sources





## In State Crude Oil Production is Declining

- Since 1995 onshore and off-shore production of crude oil is declining
- Off-shore Crude Oil Comprised 18 % of California Production in 2000



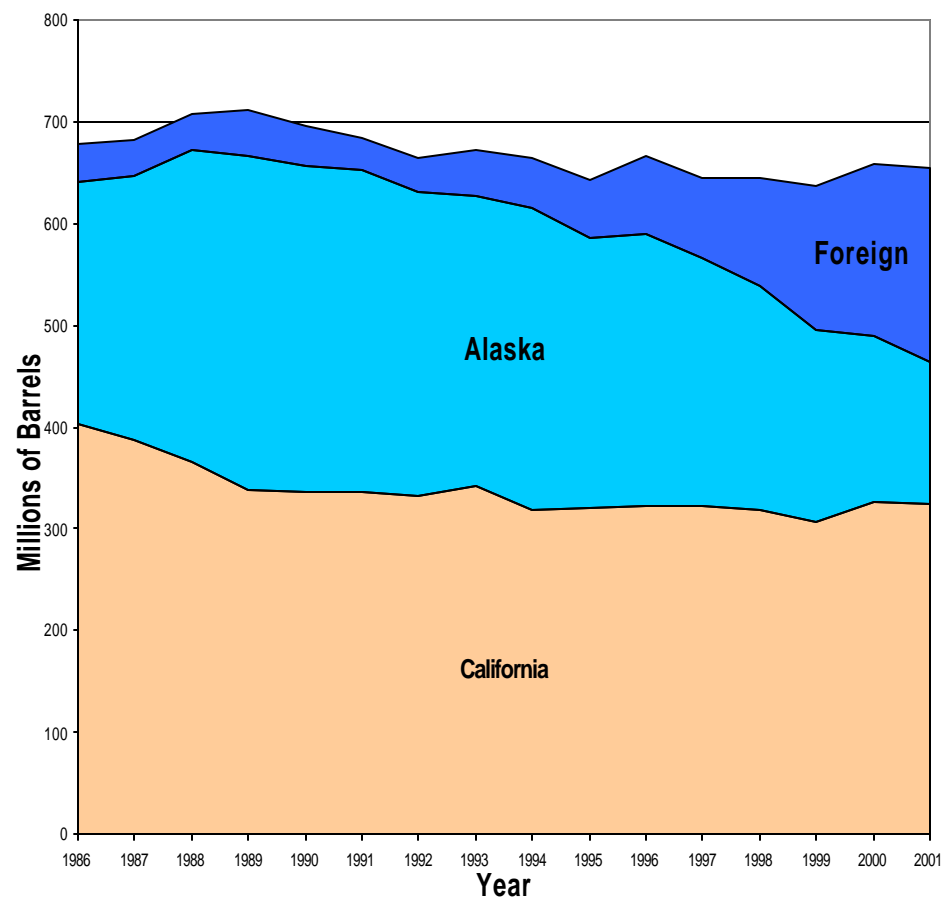
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## Sources of Crude Oil to California Refineries

- As production from Alaska and California falls, foreign sources make up the shortfall.



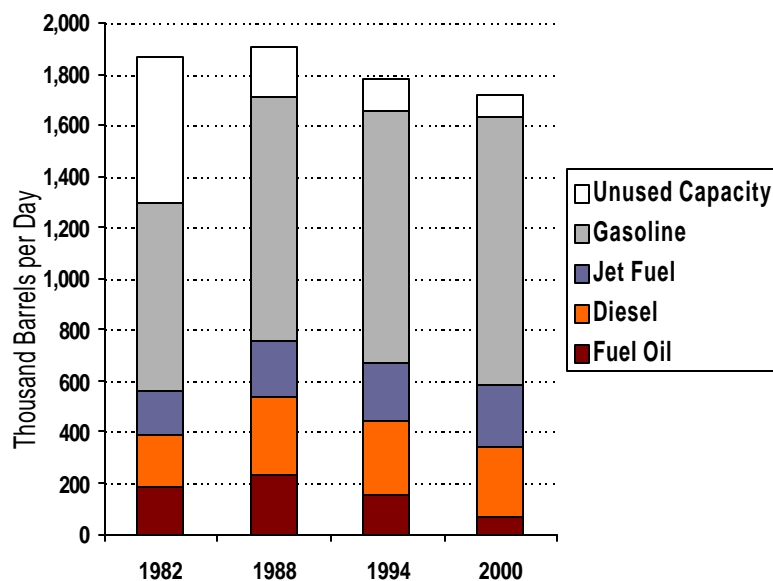
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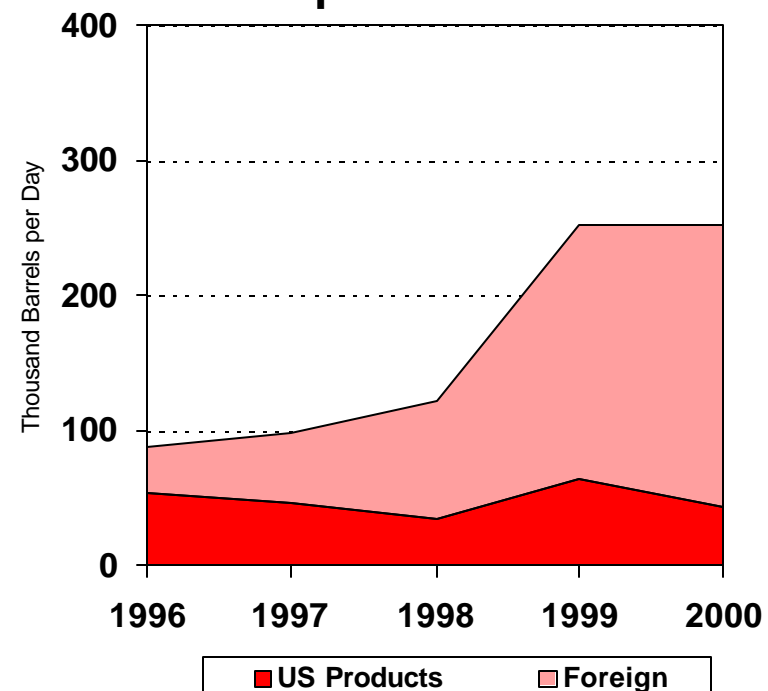


## California Refineries Near Production Capacity Domestic and Foreign Imports Increasing

**Refinery  
Production**



**Import Products**



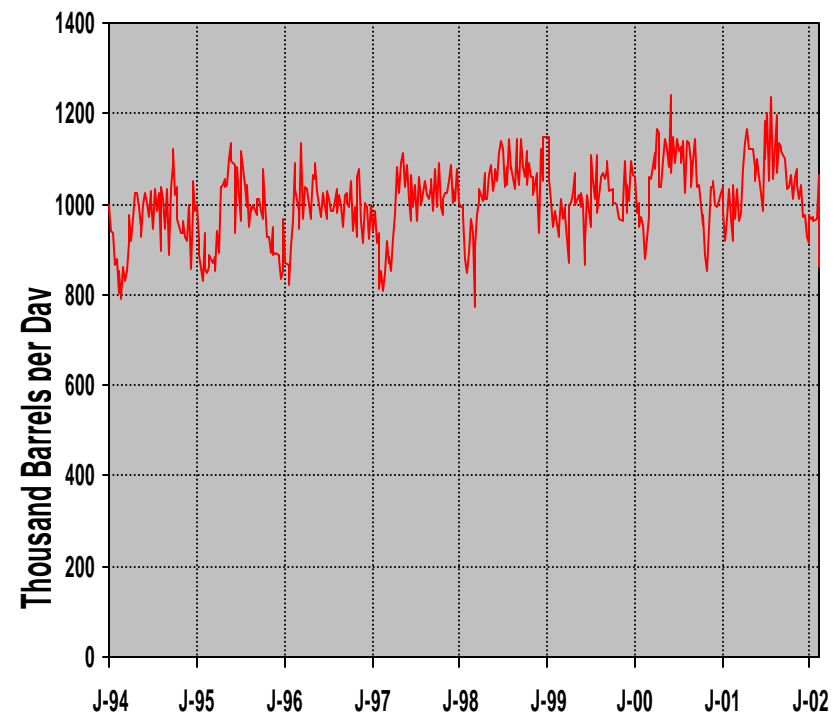
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## Demand for Gasoline Continues to Increase, but California Production has not Kept Pace

- Annual California Production has increased by 1.3%.
- Annual Demand has increased by 1.6%.
- Imports make up the difference.





## Conclusions

- A Large Portion of California's Total Energy Supply Is Produced at or Imported through Coastal Sites.
- As Pressures for Development Increase, Environmental Impacts are Becoming Important to Decision-making.
- LNG will likely be considered as part of California's Energy Future and may add to On-going Concerns Regarding Water and Aquatic Biological Resources.
- Marine Transport of Petroleum Products is Increasing with a greater Likelihood of Impacts on Ocean Resources.